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In response to the action mailed November 25, 2002, please amend the application as follows:

In the claims:

Please add claims 25-32 follows:

-- 25. (New) A sensor according to claim 1 wherein said sensor is incorporated into one selected from the group consisting of a digital still camera, an X-ray camera, a note-type personal computer, a game machine and a television telephone.

- 26. (New) A sensor according to claim 1 wherein said sensor circuit portion comprises a photo diode.
- 27. (New) A sensor according to claim 1 wherein said sensor circuit portion comprises an amplifying transistor.
- 28. (New) A sensor according to claim 1 wherein said sensor circuit portion comprises a resetting transistor.
- 29. (New) A sensor according to claim 4 wherein said sensor is incorporated into one selected from the group consisting of a digital still camera, an X-ray camera, a note-type personal computer, a game machine and a television telephone.

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